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Correspondents will please send letters so as to reach us not later than 9 o'clock a.m. Give facts in as few words as possible. We want news in this department, and not advertising notices or political arguments.

**PLUMVILLE PICKINGS.**

What Our Good Friends Have Been Doing Since Our Last Report.

Miss Amanda Mattingly who was reported seriously ill is slowly recovering.

Series of meetings will begin here Tuesday evening, the 15th inst., conducted by the Pastor, Elder T. J. Bowman and assisted by Elder Ora Price of Ohio.

Mrs. Deatley and daughters, Mrs. Wilson Cordell and Miss Deatley, were guests of Mrs. Eliza Bullock Wednesday. Mrs. Cordell will return to her home at Indianapolis the first of the week. She will be accompanied by her sister, Miss Lucy Deatley.

**SPRINGDALE SPLITTERS.**

A Writer Who Hews to the Line, Regardless Where the Chips Fall.

Mr. E. J. Cobb is at home after several weeks' sojourn with friends near Rome, O.

Miss Lizzie McCarran is at home after a week's visit with relatives in Manchester.

Mrs. W. S. Tully has almost entirely recovered from her recent severe prostration with paralysis.

Mrs. J. W. Tully, accompanied by Misses Flora and Louise Tully, were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Otto have returned from a visit with friends and relatives in Adams county, O.

Mr. C. C. Degman was at Manchester, O., Friday on business connected with the publishing of the history of the Seventeenth O. V. I.

**FLOTSAM—JETSAM—LIGAN!**

**NEWSY NOTES FROM NATURE'S GREAT HIGHWAY.**



The Goldenrod passed down Saturday for Cairo.

The Bonanza passed up for Pomeroy early yesterday morning.

Over 16 feet was the way the marks registered the water at Pittsburgh yesterday.

The Henry M. Stanley passed down from Charleston yesterday morning, and tonight she will pass up for Pomeroy.

The towboats Harry Brown, Joe B. Williams, Sam Clark, B. D. Wood and Belle McGowan, among the largest towboats afloat, left Pittsburgh yesterday with coal for the South.

The Will J. Cummins and Greenwood had a very exciting race from East Liverpool to Pittsburgh, the former winning. The Cummins passed down yesterday afternoon for Cincinnati and will return tonight.

The steamer Queen City, which passed up Saturday night, took aboard a distinguished party of about 45 ladies and gentlemen at Gallipolis yesterday for the trip to Pittsburgh and return. Colonel John L. Vance, President of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association, was in the party, and a number of well known politicians from the interior of the state were given an opportunity to spend a few days on a really fine river steamer. The object of the trip is to boom further permanent river improvements of the Ohio river, and especially the building of a dam at Wheeling and Cincinnati.

Fancy Lamps at McCarty's.

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## KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

### ALMOST DESERTED.

More Troops Leave Camp Hamilton for America, Ga., the Camp of the Second Brigade, Second Division.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 14.—The 13th New York regiment left Sunday for Americus, Ga., where the new camp of the 2d brigade, 2d division, is located. The 3d Mississippi left Monday morning for the south and there is no regiment left at Camp Hamilton proper. The two Negro regiments have their camp seven miles from the encampment of the white troops.

The 10th Immunes also goes Monday and 7th Immunes on Tuesday. On latter date Gen. Sanger breaks up division headquarters and with his staff leaves for Macon, Ga. A sale of all lumber used and of a number of horses and mules that belonged for most part to regiments mustered out will be held. Only a few sick are left in the hospital at Camp Hamilton and as soon as they are well enough to be moved, the hospital will be entirely broken up.

### PERKINS SET FREE.

County Prosecutor Polsgrove Refused to Prosecute Him for Killing His Son-in-Law, J. W. Newton.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 14.—Sergeant Perkins, who killed his son-in-law, J. W. Newton, was Saturday morning dismissed by County Judge Moore, on motion of County Attorney Polsgrove. Attorney Polsgrove stated that Newton had wronged Perkins' eldest daughter three years ago and married her at the point of a shotgun. A few months ago he wronged his wife's unmarried sister. Polsgrove said he would refuse to prosecute the father for killing Newton under such justifiable circumstances, especially when Newton had returned armed and intended to kill his father-in-law. There was applause when Polsgrove completed his statement and hearty cheers when Judge Moore ordered that the defendant be discharged from custody.

### LOUISVILLE FAILURE.

Raible, Smith & Co., Tin-Plate Manufacturers, Filed a Deed of Assignment Saturday.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 14.—Raible, Smith & Co., manufacturers of tin plate ware at Preston and Lampton streets, filed a deed of assignment Saturday in the county clerk's office. Christopher Wright was named as assignee. The liabilities and assets are estimated at \$70,000 each. The plant employs about 100 people.

Mr. R. C. Kinkaid, the attorney for the firm, said that the failure was caused by pressing creditors and the inability to collect outstanding accounts.

### CAPT. PEYTON RANDOLPH.

Typhoid Fever Carries Off the Captain of Company K, Seventh Volunteer Infantry, Immunes.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 14.—Capt. Peyton Randolph, one of the officers of the 7th volunteer infantry (immunes), died Sunday at St. Joseph's hospital, this city, of typhoid fever. He was 25 years of age, and commanded Company K. He came from the famous old Randolph family of Virginia, and was a graduate of Virginia Military Institute. For several years previous to his enlistment he was connected with the Standard Oil Co. at Baltimore.

### Must Serve His Time.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 14.—The petition for executive clemency in the case of Wesley Davis, of Fayette county, under sentence of five months' imprisonment in the county jail for malicious assault, was examined by the governor and pardon refused. Davis, who is a hostler in a Lexington livery stable, assaulted and severely beat a farmer named Burke several weeks ago in a row over a horse that the latter had sent to the stable.

### His Murderer Unknown.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 14.—Dead, with a bullet through his heart, Jupiter Lewis, an aged and respectable colored man, was found by Patrolman Savage on East Third street. Lewis was undoubtedly murdered, but the police have no clue to the perpetrator of the deed. Lewis was vice president of the Colored Fair association, and was quite well to do.

### Diphtheria Spreading a Newport.

NEWPORT, Ky., Nov. 14.—The board of health reports 12 cases of diphtheria, with a new one, Clem Air, of 15 west Fifth street. The dreaded disease has found its way into the schools, principally in the Fourth street school. Health Officer Locke was instructed to visit the schools, and if necessary order them closed until they are disinfected.

## INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS.

The differences between the Chicago-Virden Coal Co., at Virden and Auburn, Ill., and the striking miners have been settled and the shafts will soon be in operation.

The Pennsylvania railroad will, on Tuesday next, if scheduled plans work out, put on a new fast train between Pittsburgh and New York to be known as the Pittsburgh limited.

Gus Enz, night clerk and John Moore, waiter, in the New York kitchen, Wallace, Ida., have been suffocated in a fire in the Idaho hotel. They occupied rooms in the hotel.

Edward Zola, a resident of Kansas City, Mo., and a cousin of Emile Zola, the champion of Dreyfus, says that the report that the French author is coming to this country shortly is untrue.

Gen. Greely, chief signal officer of the United States army, is in San Francisco. He will inspect the electrical work in the harbor. He strongly favors the establishment of a cable line between San Francisco and Honolulu.

It was reported in Paris Sunday evening that Dreyfus is dead. The rumor is understood to be based upon a mysterious telegram received from Colmar, capital of Upper Alsace, signed by an unknown correspondent. It is not believed.

A movement is on foot looking to the consolidation of all the sash, door and blind interests in America. The new company will probably be known as the Consolidated Sash, Door and Blind company. The company is backed by English capital.

Miss May Wallace, a teacher in the Pendleton academy, was shot and killed while standing by a window at the home of her parents in Pendleton, Ore. The shot was fired through the window glass by some person who stood outside the house.

Mr. Chong Ki Ye, connected with the household of the crown prince of Corea, and eldest son of Mr. Chin Pom Ye, the minister from Corea to this country, has been appointed an attaché of the Korean legation at Washington and is now en route to take his post.

Li Hung Chang has been ordered to proceed to Tai-Nan, capital of the province of Shan-Tung, to concert measures with the viceroy of Shan-Tung to prevent future inundations of the Yellow river (Hoang-Ho). This appointment is regarded as virtually shelving Prince Li.

The London Daily Mail says Monday morning that the French naval construction programme for 1899 included two battle ships of 14,500 tons each, with very powerful armament and protection; two cruisers of 4,000 tons each, two large torpedo boat destroyers and 11 torpedo boats.

At a general meeting of French holders of Cuban bonds, held in Paris, a resolution was adopted to appeal to the "good faith of Spain and the spirit of equity of the United States" to settle the question of their rights as creditors "in conformity with the rules of justice and law."

Kansas will furnish the first colony of immigrants to settle in Cuba from the United States. John T. Venz, a colored Baptist preacher well known in Topeka, has made arrangements to make a settlement of colored people near Santiago, and expects to start from Topeka with about 30 families in 20 or 30 days.

The London Times in its editorial Monday morning on the Hispano-American situation, repeats its conviction that "no power will attempt to hinder the transfer of the Philippines," adding that "their loss can not be great to Spain, who had practically lost the entire archipelago before the United States interfered."

### Heaviest Snow of the Season.

LARNED, Kan., Nov. 14.—This section of the state was visited by the heaviest snow of the season Saturday night and Sunday. The ground was covered to a depth of three or four inches, and it is said the snow was much heavier in the counties north and west of here. The snow was wet. The winter wheat will be benefited.

### Schiller Monument Unveiled.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 14.—A monument, designed by Baume, an exact reproduction of the Schiller statue in Marbach, Germany, the birthplace of that poet, was unveiled in St. Louis park Sunday afternoon in the presence of 20,000 people. The donor is Col. Charles G. Stifel.

## MARKET REPORT.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 12.

WHEAT—Spring patent, \$2.50; spring family, \$2.70; winter patent, \$2.60; winter family, \$2.80; extra, \$2.90; low grade, \$2.10; rye, northwestern, \$2.90; do city, \$3.00; per bbl.

WHEAT—Sales of No. 2 red at \$2.60.

COAL—Sales: No. 2 mixed, old and new, \$3.50.

OATS—Sales: No. 2 mixed, 27½¢.

RYE—Sales: No. 2, track, 67¢.

HOGS—Select shippers, \$4.45; select butchers, \$4.40; fair to good packers, \$4.35; fair to good light, \$4.30; common and rough, \$4.20.

CATTLE—Fair to good shippers, \$4.45; good to choice butchers, \$4.40; fair to medium butchers, \$4.30; common \$4.20.

SHEEP—Extras, \$3.60; good to choice, \$3.50; common to fair, \$3.40.

LAMBS—Extras, \$5.15; good to choice, \$5.00; common to fair, \$4.85.

WHEAT—Sales of No. 2 red at \$2.60.

WHEAT—November, 65½¢; December, 65½¢; May, 66½¢; July, 66¢.

COAL—November, 31½¢; December, 32¢; May, 32½¢.

OATS—November, 23½¢; December, 23½¢; May, 24½¢.

## EAT HARD TACK, TOO.

Officers in American Army Fare Little Better Than Privates.

Scenes Before Santiago Exhite Surprise Among Foreign Military Attaches Who Watched American Methods of Campaigning.

The commanding officer of the American army before Santiago fared no better in the matter of food than soldiers in the ranks. This must excite surprise among the foreign military attaches who are observing American methods of conducting a campaign. They are accustomed to see the ranking officers of their armies give close attention to personal comfort, without regard to the hardships endured by subordinates.

Many battles fought in continental Europe have been lost through gluttonous indulgence in the pleasures of the table by military leaders, says the New York Sun. To conduct war in comfort is considered so truly the privilege of rank that its abuse excites no surprise and arouses no comment.

American officers when in the field are content with fare almost as simple as that of the early Mahometan conquerors who on a diet of dates subdued nation enervated by epicurean indulgence.

In the campaign of Napoleon III., which culminated in disaster at Sedan, the emperor's field outfit was of luxurious and extensive proportions. Apart from palace officials and his staff and escort, 73 cooks and assistants, lackeys and valets followed in his train. Wagons, expressly constructed for the purpose, transported a complete and elaborate kitchen and table service, provisions and a wine cellar composed of the best vintages of Bordeaux, Burgundy and Champagne.

Whenever the emperor made a halt all the itinerant culinary machinery was employed in the concoction of elaborate repasts. When his bewildered troops were massed in the village of Du Chene and famishing for food, the emperor's cooks were plainly visible through the open windows of a dwelling at which he was stopping, preparing supper for himself and his military household.

A crowd of cooks, dressed in spotless white, were roasting meats and fowls and concocting savory sauces, the odor of which added fresh torment to the hunger of the soldiers, who watched with envy, but without protest, the horde of court officials and generals enjoying the feast.

### CUTTING DOWN EXPENSES.

Retrenchment in Many Branches of the Army Being Made by the Government.

Retrenchment in nearly all branches of the army is following close upon the cessation of hostilities. Notably is this the case in the ordnance, quartermaster's and engineer bureaus, where the need for the supplies required and the men employed for the exigencies of war no longer exist. In the ordnance bureau the force at the various arsenals is to be reduced in all cases where it can be accomplished without detriment to the service. The Rock Island arsenal probably will be affected more than any others. There before the war about 240 men were employed. When the peace protocol was signed there were approximately 4,000 men engaged and orders have been issued which has reduced this number by two-thirds. Before and during the war large numbers of contracts were made with ordnance firms for supplying material. In many cases these were made conditional, so that they could be terminated within a few days after the cessation of hostilities, and the department has in every case availed itself of this privilege.

The quartermaster's department is dispensing as rapidly as possible with such of the transports that were chartered and for which there is no necessity. Considerable labor is involved in this work, as a board of survey has to be appointed to determine the various incidental questions that arise pending the return of the vessels to their owners.

In the engineer's department the services of electricians, mechanics and laborers engaged in the work of harbor and river mine defenses and of boatmen employed to patrol the adjacent waters to warn approaching craft of their danger also are being discharged as rapidly as is consistent with the good of the service.

### His Letter from the Front.

You cannot balk a Yankee, says the Cochran (Pa.) Times. Joe Wilson, of Bradford, was in the trenches before Santiago, and during a lull in the fighting decided to write a letter home. He had no envelope or postage stamp, but he did have a few sheets of paper and a lead pencil. He wrote his letter, folded the sheets together, fastened one corner with a bit of black thread, forced a twig of some Cuban plant through the stamp corner to hold that end in place, addressed the epistle, wrote "soldier's letter" under the twig, and at the first opportunity mailed the letter. It came through without a hitch.

### Did Much for His Race.

Peter Murray died at Wichita, Kan., at the age of 84 years. He had 14 children, 60 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Eleven of his children, five sons with their wives, and six daughters with their husbands, attended the funeral.

### Metals.

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